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In re Patent Application of:)	Confirmation No.: 9907
Koichiro TANAKA et al.)	Group Art Unit: 2895
Serial No.: 10/585,128)	Examiner: Joannie A. Garcia
Filed: June 30, 2006)	
For: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND)	
ITS MANUFACTURING METHOD)	
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<u>AMENDMENT</u>

Honorable Commissioner of Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Official Action dated June 3, 2010, please consider the following amendments and remarks in connection with the above-identified application.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this paper.